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In re Application of: : Docket: ANO5939P1US
PERSSON, M., et al. : Examiner:
Serial No.: 09/455,102 : Group Art Unit: 1762
Filing Date: December 6, 1999 :
For: POLYSILICATE MICROGELS :
Assistant Commissioner for Patents :
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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In accordance with the requirements of 37 CFR §1.56, applicants submit the documents attached hereto to be made of record in the above-identified case. A listing of said documents on form PTO-1449 is also attached.

The present Information Disclosure Statement is being filed within three months of the filing date; therefore, no filing fee is believed to be required. If a filing fee is required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge applicants' deposit account 01-1350 for the full amount of said fee.

Japanese Patent No. 1987-83311 is not in the English language, however, applicants supply an English translation for the convenience of the Examiner.

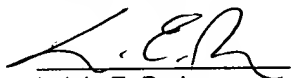
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Applicants reserve the right to contest the applicability of the documents attached hereto as prior art in the event that any information is discovered which demonstrates that said documents do not qualify as prior art.

Consideration of the present Information Disclosure Statement is respectfully requested. The claimed invention is, however, deemed to represent a patentable departure from the teachings of the prior art.

Respectfully submitted,



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☒ Transmitted herewith find the following document(s) related to this application.
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☐ Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 of:

☐ One Month (\$110.00)

☐ Two Months (\$380.00)

☐ Three Months (\$870.00)

☐ Four Months (\$1360.00)

☐ Additional claims are presented. The fee therefore is:

Claims Pending	Previously Paid For	Extra Claims	Rate	Fee
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